

### Thomas Petersen Loses Life In Auto Mishap

Thomas J. Petersen, 31, of Grayling, was killed in a roll-over accident on the US-27 Freeway south of M-55 near Lake Michigan shortly before 1 p.m. Wednesday, November 27.

Grayling Lake state police said Petersen apparently lost control of his car while attempting to pass another on the freeway, which was slippery in spots because of the heavy snowfall that was in the area.

He was taken to Mercy Hospital and died about an hour after being admitted.

Petersen was born May 28, 1937, in Grayling. He attended the school in Grayling until his parents moved, and completed his schooling and graduated from Grayling High School.

He was married to Alice Munchback. At the time of his death Tom was a business manager at Bear River.

Funeral services were held at 10 a.m. Saturday, November 30, at St. Mary's Church, where Tom was a member. The Rev. Joseph Karaszewicz officiated and burial was in Elmwood Cemetery with Richard W. Worden, William Worden, John Worden and Allan Lubin serving as pallbearers.

Honorary pallbearers were Bear, Albert Mitchell, Gordon Thompson, Robert F. Kelly, Bill DeClair, William Grand, James Madill and John Madill.

A rosary was recited at eight o'clock on Friday evening by Rev. Louis Ivandic at the St. Mary's Church.

Surviving are the widow, Alice, sons, John Thomas and Todd Peterson, one daughter, Ann, one brother, James, and one sister, Mrs. Arlene Porter of Danvers, Md., as well as Tom's parents, the Johannes Petersens.

### Cederberg's Aide In Visiting December 10

The year-end visit of Congresswoman Cederberg's district staff to Crawford County will take place Tuesday, Dec. 10.

Mr. Nakkula, the liaison man, will be at the courthouse in Grayling between the hours of 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

Residents of the county having problems involving any of the federal agencies of government should contact Congresswoman Cederberg's representative at that time. The data will be promptly forwarded to the Congressman.

### Students to Sell Christmas Trees

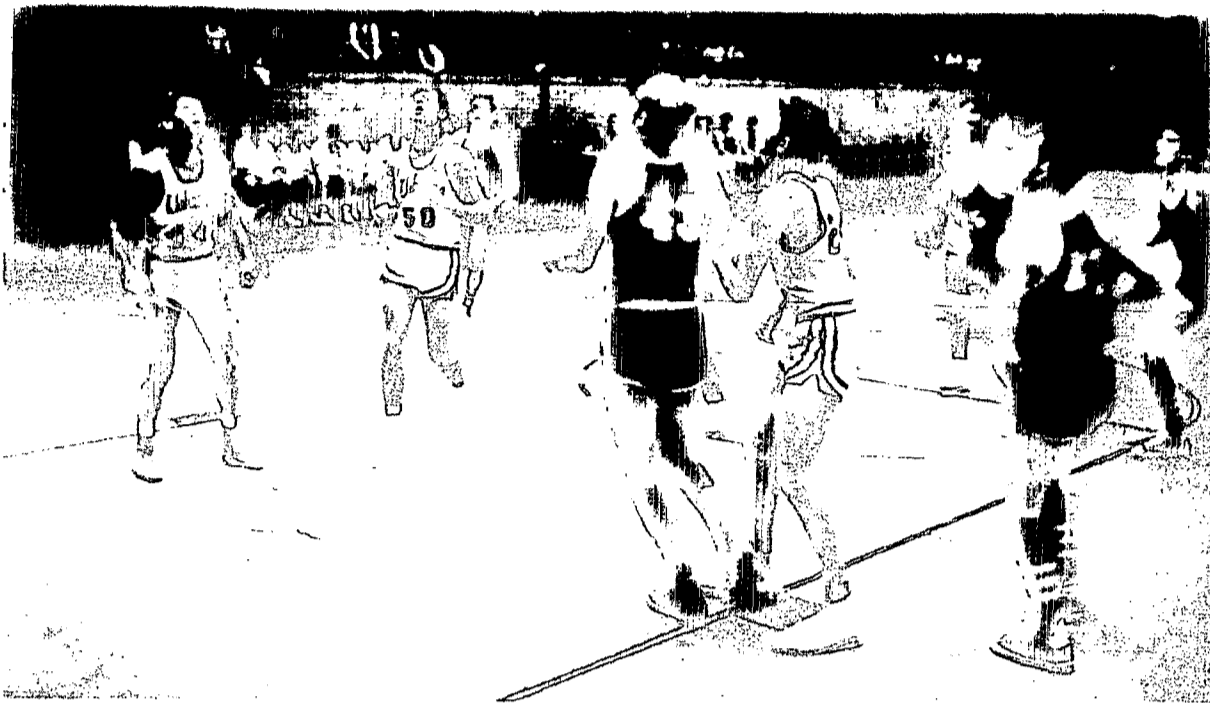
A high school conservation class, taught by Howard Taylor, will be operating a Christmas tree lot on Michigan Avenue in the vacant lot next to Grayling Restaurant. The lot will be open Friday, Dec. 6, from 4 p.m. to 9 p.m., and all day Saturday, Dec. 7.

The hours will be the same the weekend of Dec. 13-14. The lot will be open every day from 4 a.m. to 9 p.m. and all day Saturday, Dec. 14.

The Christmas trees are ones that have been conserved and cut themselves. In addition the class will be selling plants and cut flowers.

Sheep and cut 400 more and as far as has been conserved, they comprise the head of cultured Michigan sheep to go to the metropolitan area of California.

Money made from the sale of the trees will go to purchase the Conservation classes. The Conservation classes will be delivered from the lot and no phone calls will be taken.



**SUSPENSE** — All ten players on the Vikings and Bucks squads converge in the free throw lane as they await a rebound from shot by Roscommon. At left, Allen Lowe, 44, Mike Kucharek, 50, Gerry St. Germain, 24, Vern Hartman in center and Dale Papendick behind Bucks No. 15. The Vikings hit the century mark as they scored a 100-72 victory.

### Vikings 94, Mancy 47, Tuesday

## Grayling at Pellston This Friday Night

The Grayling Vikings spearheaded by Bruce Burkett with 26 points and 10 rebounds and Gerry St. Germain with 15 points and 12 rebounds overwhelmed the Roscommon Bucks here last Wednesday evening when they hit the century mark to score a 100-72 victory.

Captain St. Germain used his entire 12-man squad in the non-league affair with five players hitting in double figures.

The Vikings were to meet the Mancelona Ironmen Tuesday of this week in a game that starts their quest for NLML honors.

On Friday night, Dec. 6, the Vikings make the long trek north as they journey to Pellston for one of their must-win games with the Hornets. Pellston is one of the favored teams to take the conference championship. The Hornets have four returning starters from last year's squad and are always tough on their home court.

The Vikings had a little trouble with the Bucks as they took a 30 to 16 first quarter lead and extended it to 57-28 at halftime. The local cagers took the third period 18 to 13 while the Bucks outscored them in the final period 31 to 25.

Grayling's scoring came on 39 field goals from 85 attempts for a 45 percent and 22 of 44 from the free throw line for a 50 percent average. They were whittled for 23 personal fouls and lost Vern Hartman via the foul route. Roscommon scored on 25 from the field and 22 free throws. They were called on 27 infractions and lost Glenn Haight on fouls.

Other Vikings in double figures besides Burkett and St. Germain were: Mike Smock with 11, Allen Lowe and Dale Papendick with 10 each. Rounding out the scoring for Grayling had Mike Kucharek with 9, Brad Scheer 7, Louie Neilson 6, Wes Hayes and Max Tobin with one each.

Roscommon had three players hitting double figures with Mike Glover hitting for 25, Harry Sherwood with 15 and Kurt Ostling finishing with 10.

Coach Frank Smith's JV's got things going on the right foot as they took the measure of Roscommon JV's 62-45 in the preliminary game on Wednesday.

The local cagers held a 16-11 first period lead and extended it to 32-20 at intermission. Grayling came back strong in the third quarter to outscore Roscommon 25-11 with the little Bucks winning the final period 25-5.

Tim Mead with 15 points and Murray Babbitt with 14 were the only two Viking JV's in double figures.

Rounding out the scoring for Grayling were Doug White with 9, Jim Tobin 6, Fred Neiderer and Bill Weideman with 4 each. Mike McNamara 3, Jim Bassett, Joe Elenbaas and Dennis Dene with 2 each and Larry Neilson with 1.

Roscommon also had two in double figures as Ames hit for 19 and Cherven added 11.

Counting the Pellston game, the Vikings will be on the road for three consecutive games before meeting the Harbor Springs Rams here on Dec. 20, prior to the holiday break. They will meet Potoskey St. Francis Friday, Dec. 13 and East Jordan on Tuesday, Dec. 17.

A brass ensemble will present many Christmas hymns, plus some soloists from each band. The public is cordially invited to attend this concert.

First chair players in the junior band include: Cathy Knuth, clarinet; Carol Reed, flute; April Thayer, alto saxophone; Tom Vajda, cornet; Lynn Dandy, trombone; Ray Pelton, drums.

First chair players in the senior band are: Julie Thayer, clarinet; Mickey Corlew, alto sax; Betty Konvicka, flute; Harry Hendricks, trombone; Cary Vajda, bass; Gary Vajda, baritone; Kathy Post, horn; Franz Kersch, trumpet; Greg Wert, snare; Gerald Annis, bass drum; and Mike Anthony, cymbals.

LeRoy H. Christian, Band Director

### Bloodmobile Here Dec. 10th

The Red Cross Bloodmobile Unit will be at the Legion Hall on Tuesday, Dec. 10, from 12 noon to 5:30 p.m. Note the difference in time.

Bloodmobile Chairman Mrs. Alvin Moore asks that all who are able please be on hand to give blood.

LeRoy H. Christian, Band Director

### Evening Recreation Program to Begin in Frederic December 4

Wednesday, Dec. 4 at 7:00 p.m. the newly formed Crawford County Men's Basketball League was to begin its opening round of league play. The league is composed of five teams who have scheduled two games for each week with one team drawing a bye.

Information about joining a team may be obtained from Jerry Walker, Ron Larson, or Terry Wakeley.

On Thursday Dec. 5, the Frederic gym will be open to students. With the exception of the holiday season the gym will be open every Thursday until the end of February. Upper elementary boys will have gym privileges from 7:00 to 8:00 p.m. and junior and senior high boys may use the gym from 8 to 9 p.m.

The programs are organized as part of the local school system's Community Enrichment Program. Paul Lerg will serve as teacher in charge of the Frederic program.

Watch for announcement of more community enrichment programs being offered in January.

### MARC Meeting in Roscommon December 10

Two weeks before Christmas and all over COOR the last minute shoppers rush door to door. The children from Harcourt are busy as bees making gifts for Christmas, your home and your tree. Ralph Sperry will be there with legal advice for your handicapped child. Please bring a friend to MARC, Roscommon Courthouse.

To help our project and increase our funds bring baked goods, candies, buns or hand crafted tree trims. The money they bring will mean cheer for handicapped children.

MARC meeting will be held Tuesday, Dec. 10, 8 p.m. at the Roscommon County Courthouse.

### School Choir To Present Cantata Dec. 18

The High School Concert Choir has set the date of Dec. 18 for its Christmas concert, which will be the performance of Handel's "Messiah." Starting time of the concert is 8 p.m. in the high school gym.

In addition the Choir will be doing a choral arrangement of the poem, "The Night Before Christmas."

The High School Concert Choir has received confirmation and has signed contracts giving it permission to perform the Broadway musical "Oliver."

This will be presented the first weekend in May, 1969.

"Oliver" is a musical adaptation of Charles Dickens' book "Oliver Twist." The production was very popular in the U.S. and broke many box office records at its opening in London.

### Last in Mental Health Series To be Held at Roscommon, Dec. 5

Dr. E. J. Ponczek, Director of the Traverse City State Hospital Outpatient Clinic, will present the last of a series of four meetings on mental health. He will be at the Roscommon County Building Thursday, Dec. 5, at 1:30 p.m. to speak on the role of the Outpatient Clinic.

Previous meetings in this series, sponsored by the Area 16 Extension Homemakers, featured Mrs. Clifford Lindstrom, Mrs. Margaret Ward and Dr. Charles Shipman.

Mrs. Ward, who is director of the Social Services Department at the Traverse City State Hospital, spoke in Roscommon on the facilities at Traverse City and in the state, quoting statistics and relating recent trends in the treatment of mental illnesses.

Mrs. Ward, Community Relations Director at Grayling State Home, brought to Grayling a slide program explaining the Home's functions, and the changes in viewing mental retardation. Mrs. Ward also suggested that donating colorful gowns and gifts to the Home would be a worthwhile project for any individual or group.

Dr. Charles Shipman, psychiatrist from the Northwest Michigan Child Guidance Clinic in Traverse City, answered questions on mental illness in children. He explained some new theories of causes of emotional disturbances in children, and discussed current methods of diagnosing and treating such illnesses.

Any person in Roscommon and Crawford counties who has any concerns to bring to a discussion of the Outpatient Clinic's services should attend Dr. Ponczek's talk Dec. 5.

### Edith Paul Named County Dem Chmn.

At their fall convention, held November 25, 1968, the delegates elected an executive committee of 12 members: Carl Minor, Clare Madsen, Richard Schaefer, Lawrence Hunter, Walter Confer, Edith Paul, Florence Douglas, Alfred Hanson, Jack Alef, Bernard Maurer, Arlene Williams and Eugene Kaiser. The executive committee elected the following officers: Edith Paul, chairman; Walter Confer, vice chairman; Bernard Maurer, treasurer; and Florence Douglas, secretary. A future meeting will be held by the executive committee to choose a county committee.

The next regular meeting of the Democratic Party of Crawford County will be held Thursday, December 12, at 8:00 p.m. and will be held at the County Courthouse.

### TO HOLD MEETING

Anyone living or working permanently within Crawford County who wishes to join Crawford County Federal Credit Union please meet at the high school gym at 7 p.m. Dec. 7 for enrollment, nomination and voting on officers which will be held that evening.

Don Wojcikiewicz

### To All The Children Of Crawford Co.

Don't forget, Grayling and Frederic are on my list to visit this coming Saturday. I plan on being in Grayling at 10:00 a.m. at the foot of Michigan Avenue and in Frederic at 12:00 noon at the Frederic Park.

Merry Christmas will be with me and we will have favors for all of the children. As I stated in my letter last week, we have been very busy here at the North Pole. The elves are now working day and night filling the Christmas orders that are coming in by the thousands. The North Pole Express has had to put on 20 more cars to carry the mail that is now coming into the North Pole every day. I would suggest that if you have letters to write to me, that you address them to:

Santa Claus  
Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce  
Grayling, Michigan 49738.

This is my official Crawford County address, and the Chamber people will forward the mail to the North Pole.

See you all on Saturday.  
SANTA CLAUS

### Christmas Music

Julie Andrews singing "A Christmas Treasure" of songs is a refreshing and beautiful rendition of this season's music.

The Crawford County Library has 12 different Christmas records available for your listening pleasure for only 10¢ a week rental. Most are new this year, and can be played with assurance on your fine home record player. Among the titles are "Christmas on the Ponderosa," the albums of Reeves, Bellafonte, Gary Atkins and Eugene Ormandy, with several records of Handel's "Messiah."

### Christmas Potluck at MM Church Sunday

The congregation of Michelson Memorial United Methodist Church is invited to participate in a family style potluck dinner held at noon hour Sunday, Dec. 8. The meal will be shared in the church dining room and everyone is invited to attend.

The ovens will be ready for warm dishes, but both warm and cold beverages will be provided. Those preferring to return home for their food will have ample time to return to the church for the meal at 12:30 o'clock. Table service will be provided so leave silverware and dishes at home.

### Mercy Hospital News

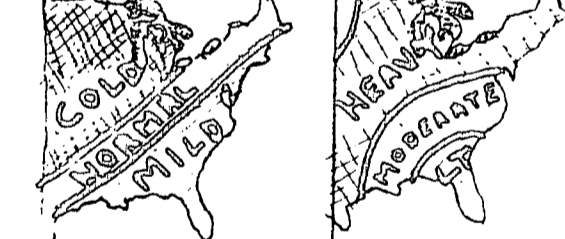
Patients at Mercy Hospital this week include: Minnie Atkinson, James Barclay, Scott Bindshatell, Joseph Cinciala, Marilyn Crampton, Patrice Foster, Norman Johnson, Keith Kammer, Marjorie Morency, William Reichelderfer, Gladys Craft, Rose Marie Gagliardo, Scott Hale, Ena Risch, Nancy Smith, Hiram Atwell, Nathan Barthow, Hazel Decker, Walter Eagle, Violet Hatch, Daniel Kolka, Myrtle Larson, Thomas Moore, Eureka Stephan, Felix Torri, all of Grayling, and Rick Post of Frederic.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Boone of Grayling are parents of a girl born Dec. 2, weighing 7 pounds, and named Tammy Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Babbitt of Frederic are parents of a girl born Dec. 3 who hasn't been named yet.

### Northern Michigan Weather Forecasting

TEMPERATURE PRECIPITATION



Weekly Weather Report by Chris Gentry  
Wednesday, December 4 — Sunday, December 8

The pattern of an unusually heavy winter will continue this week. The snow will continue Wednesday, with strong winds bringing in colder weather. The highs Wednesday will be in the mid-20's. More snow will fall Thursday, bringing in a blast of even colder air. The high Thursday will be 18 to 22. Friday will be mostly cloudy and colder, with some snow flurries. Highs in the upper teens. Saturday will be fair and warmer, highs in the upper 20's. Sunday will have increasing cloudiness, chance of snow by evening, high around 30.

Temperatures for the next five days will average 4 to 9 degrees below the normal high of 30 and normal low of 20.

Precipitation will total one-half to one inch, which will fall as 5 to 12 inches of snow.

Last week's average high—31, average low—21, which was 3 degrees below last week's normal high of 33 and normal low of 24. We received 1.73 inch of precipitation, which fell as 20 inches of snow.

For November, the highest temperature—71, recorded on the first, the lowest temperature—10, recorded on the 28th. The maximum snow depth—15 inches, recorded on the 19th. The most snowfall in 24 hours, 18 inches, was recorded on the 19th. Total precipitation for the month—3.80 inches, total snowfall—39.7 inches.

The 30-day forecast for December shows temperatures will average near normal, with heavy precipitation.

The normal highs range from 30 at the first to 16 at the end of the month. Normal lows range from 20 at the first to 8 at the end of the month.

Normal precipitation is about 3 inches, which totals 32.36 inches of snow.

## Lowe Named Area Prep FB Player

Allen Lowe, Viking flanker on this year's grid squad selected Monday by the Bay Times Sports Department as the area's prep "player of the year" in Class "C."

Other prep stars named were: Greg Wegener, Bay City Central; Cory Gilder, Oscoda; Class B and Terrell, Unionville; Class A, and Class C.

Lowe, an agile six-footer who weighs 160 pounds, had an amazing 224 yards in the fourth period, and all three touchdowns.

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For the season Allen pulled in 57 passes for a grand total of 903 yards gained, with 12 hitting paydirt.

Editor, appearing in Monday's edition of this week.

"All have received the individual Coca Cola 'player of the week' plaques for permanent possession, within prescribed limits of the Michigan High School Athletic Association, and now with 'player of the year' designation, large plaques will be presented high schools of the recognized players, as soon as they are engraved.

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one of the best pair of hands in the Northern Lower Michigan League, which had already earned him a first-string spot last year on the Grayling basketball team. With the Vikings off to a slow start, his pass-catching ability went unrecognized through the first half of the season, but in one game before the campaign ended, he had latched onto 12 scoring aerials—alone, and in a 27-20 loss to Potoskey St. Francis, picked up a

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**ONE OF TWELVE** — Gerry St. Germain, 24, Viking guard goes high to pick off one of 12 rebounds he gained during Grayling-Roscommon game won by the Vikings 100-72 on the local court last Wednesday evening. Others in photo are Vern Hartman, 54, Viking forward; at left, Mike Glover, 43, and Dale Myers, 15, of Roscommon.

### Gifts Under \$6

Ladies, give yourselves a gift this Christmas, a uterine "Pap" test. It could be a gift of life to you.

This message from your Crawford County Cancer unit.

### Michigan Sports Map Spotlights Winter Fun

LANSING—The 1968-69 edition of the popular Michigan Winter Sports Map which pinpoints the state's 78 winter recreational centers and catalogues their facilities, is now available, according to the Michigan Tourist Council.

The map, compiled by the state's four regional tourist associations and published by the Council, details specific information on locations of ski and winter recreation areas and includes information on accommodations, slopes, lifts, tows, entertainment and other features of interest to winter sports fans.

To facilitate indexing and locating resorts, the map is divided into four areas—Upper Peninsula, West Michigan, East Michigan and Southeast Michigan.

Free copies of the Winter Sports Map may be obtained by writing: Ski Map, Michigan Tourist Council, Lansing, Michigan, 48926.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Ashton returned to Grayling Saturday to spend the winter. They had been residing in Onaway.

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**LOMPOC, Calif.** — Senior Master Sergeant Wayne S. Holzman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Holzman of Rt. 1, Port Orange, Fla., recently helped launch a U. S. Air Force Titan II intercontinental ballistic missile from Vandenberg AFB, Calif.

Sergeant Holzman, a missile superintendent, traveled to Vandenberg from his home station at Davis Monthan AFB, Ariz., for the mission.

The launch was one in a series of operational testing launches conducted by the Strategic Air Command (SAC). The missile, selected at random from those on alert at Davis Monthan, was transported — with its maintenance and launch crews — to Vandenberg.

The crews operated from the Vandenberg control center where they monitored the missile in an alert status. When the launch message was received from SAC headquarters, the crews reacted, launching the missile as they would from their home base in a combat operation.

The sergeant is a graduate of Redford Union High School in Detroit and is a veteran of World War II.

His wife, Phyllis, is the daughter of Kenneth O. Ashton of Grayling.

**LETTER OF INTEREST**

Birmingham, Mich. 48009  
17111 Birwood Blvd.  
November 2, 1968

Mr. Earl Longworth  
Chamber of Commerce  
Grayling, Michigan 49738

Dear Mr. Longworth:

Enclosed are some of the printed materials used on the 1968 POR including the final results and an article about the rally printed in our region's newspaper.

It has been almost a month since the Press On Regardless National Rally took place and still the wonderful memories linger on. The 1968 version of this rally was the best in the history of the Detroit Region, SCCA. We owe an undying amount of gratitude to you and the merchants and motel owners of Grayling for helping make this the best event ever. I can't begin to tell you how much your support of our rally meant to the members of the region and myself in particular. Your townspeople seemed to open up their hearts and hands to our weary travelers. If there is some way in which I can repay any portion of this kindness, I would be more than happy to oblige.

The addition of the closed section was an innovation we have been trying to materialize for many years. It worked out so well that we hope to have several of these sections next year. My special thanks to you for arranging this with Sheriff Clough. I trust there were no repercussions from the residents.

Both of the gentlemen who received the magnificent trophy bows were overwhelmed at these generous gifts. They were completely unexpected by the contestants and us alike and were the source of much comment at the trophy presentations. I am sorry that we had one incident to mar an otherwise excellent weekend, but nothing ever goes completely smooth. My special thanks to you and Bill Brady for providing transportation for the contestants to the sleeping quarters.

I don't know whether you know this, but each contestant is asked to fill out a form evaluating the rally — this is how our national organization grades the event. Many contestants took extra effort to comment about the friendly, helpful reception given them by the citizens of Grayling — and by you and Bill Brady in particular.

I don't know any other words to express my gratitude more for the wonderful addition your city and its people were to the POR. There will be a POR next year and we hope Grayling will want to play a role in it again. Please express my thanks to everyone who had a hand in this venture; we hope you found it as exhilarating as we did.

Sincerely,  
William Stephenson  
Rally Coordinator  
Detroit Region — SCCA

P.S.: If there were any publicity items regarding the POR in local newspapers, I would certainly appreciate a copy of them for our files.

My regards to your wife.

**BITS O' TALK**

Julie and Rod Powers of Hart were Thanksgiving day guests of their parents, the Arthur Carlsons. Other dinner guests included Mrs. Carlson's sisters Burnis and Amber Meech and Carlyn, also Joseph Kessler and Bill Johns. Christine Carlson, student at Bronson Methodist School of Nursing in Kalamazoo who couldn't be home with the family spent Thanksgiving day with her grandmother, Mrs. Julius Carlson and aunt, Mrs. Kathryn Pastor in Bellevue.

Spending from Thursday to Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Stephan Jr. is his sister, Toni Neilson and sons, Mike and Tim, of Detroit.

**NOTICE** — The office at Grayling Township Hall will be open for the collection of taxes from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday during December.

Ruby Reetz, deputy Grayling Township Treasurer. Phone 348-4361 or 348-9407.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Boone for the Thanksgiving weekend are daughter and family, Linda Ashton and boys of Saginaw, and son, Mr. and Mrs. William Boone of Dearborn.

J. E. Palmer bagged his buck Saturday before last, getting a nine-pointer. Spending Thanksgiving day with the Palmers were her sister Mr. and Mrs. Art Huffman and son Art of Clio. Also up for the weekend is Harvey Merthwe of Linwood. Guests for dinner Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Jan Thayer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Money and family spent Thanksgiving day in Mio visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Polman. Jack and Joel Money (twins) celebrated their fifth birthday Thursday so it was a combination birthday-Thanksgiving celebration.

Mrs. Fern Macaulay and daughter, Karen, spent Thanksgiving day in Mancelona with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Conway. Craig Conway accompanied them home for the weekend and Mr. and Mrs. Conway came over to pick him up.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted McEvers spent Wednesday and Thursday in Mason visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Hines. They were also in Traverse City Wednesday on business. David McEvers left Sunday to spend the week visiting friends in Detroit. He will leave on Dec. 8 for Port Lewis, Washington, before shipment for overseas duty in Vietnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Dunham and family, including David, just released from the Army in Arizona, spent Thanksgiving and the weekend visiting her mother.

Mrs. Earl Dawson, the DeVere Dawsons were holiday dinner guests also. On Friday the Dick Dawson family of Grand Rapids were expected in to spend the weekend with Mrs. Dawson.

**Memo from Merrily**

By Merrily Lacasse  
Extension Home Economist

Christmas is a time for joy. For gifts and fun and laughter. When you're shopping, be sure you buy

A gift that lasts long after.

Have you heard a familiar tune lately that put you in a nostalgic mood or recalled warm childhood memories? This Christmas, make memories for your family by giving them good music, especially good Christmas music. Here are some suggestions:

1. Buy some fine Christmas recordings. Buy them early! And don't wrap them to put under the tree — give them as an Advent gift the first Sunday in December and enjoy them throughout the Yule season. If you would like some titles and companies of good records, I have available a list you may have upon request.
2. Keep attractive Christmas carol books on the piano or table and use them.
3. Teach one or two new and unusual carols, and sing the beloved familiar carols often. Tell stories about some of the songs. Above all, sing with your children.
4. During the Christmas season, put on a record often; for dinner, gift-wrapping, decorating, or just sitting. Make music the gift-wrapping on all your holiday activities.
5. Create an air of ceremony for each Christmas preparation. The placing of greens and candles, the setting up of the Christmas Creche, the trimming of the tree, even the cookie baking, can be done in a way that, started now and repeated in coming years, will leave your child with fond memories. Although during his teen years it may appear that your efforts have been wasted, if the foundation was firm enough in the early years, during adulthood your son or daughter will retain those memories of his old family Christmas. So, don't forget to weave in the music this year. Remember the warm feeling you get when you hear that familiar tune? Give that feeling to your child, too.

**School Notes**

Dec 4-7

Wednesday: Science Curriculum Council meeting, 4 p.m. elementary teachers' lounge. School bus driver education meeting in Grayling, 7 p.m.

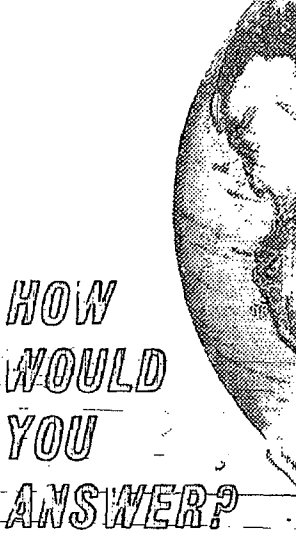
Thursday: Language Arts Curriculum meeting, Room 21 of high school, 7 p.m. Robert Kelly, Alpena High School, speaker.

Friday: Pellston basketball, there.

Saturday: Credit Union meeting in high school cafeteria, 7 p.m. Ausable Swingers square dance, elementary school multipurpose room, 8 p.m.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bielski for the holidays are their son of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Bielski and family of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Netowski spent from Saturday to Monday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Bidvia.



Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Though I do worry, I feel there's a way to prevent it.

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ Sometimes I antagonize people because of my actions or attitude. I know there must be a way to correct this.

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ It seems contrary to reality, but I feel that real happiness is something apart from wealth, power, or fame.

Yes \_\_\_ No \_\_\_ There must be a practical way of raising my family in a better world.

A "yes" answer to any of these questions is definite proof of God's concern for you. God talks to man by making him "feel" and "know" of a better way of living. You feel discontent about present conditions, you sense "something better," somewhere.

That's God talking to you. Listen to him. Come to church this Sunday. Read His Living Word in the Bible.

This could be the chance you've been waiting for.

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Deuteronomy 11:1-20	Samuel 1:1-14	Luke 12:1-21	1 Corinthians 13:1-13	Ephesians 3:1-12	Hebrews 9:23-28	11:8-16

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It is fitting that the centennial of Landsteiner's birth was marked October 27-31, at the annual meeting in Washington D.C., of the American Association of Blood Banks which has pioneered the clearinghouse system in which the Red Cross distributes blood given locally to be credited to a patient in a distant city, helps save lives, cuts medical costs for many people.

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## Interesting Events in Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVANCELO OF 23 YEARS AGO

Dec. 6, 1968

Those to receive their discharges and report to the local draft board are Albert F. Lamphar, navy, 2 years 1 1/2 months; Lawrence W. Balch, navy 1 year, 8 months; Gordon A. Redhead, army 3 years, 2 months; Robert W. Chappel, navy, 3 years, 4 months plus; Arthur J. Sidman, army, 2 years 2 months; Norman H. Feldhauser, army 3 years, almost 3 months; Francis L. Czekyski, army, 3 years, 7 months; Reese H. Cox, army, 2 years, 10 months; Edward H. Feldhauser, army, 3 years, 8 months.

Jack McClain arrived in Grayling last Thursday from Midland Municipal Airport, Midland, Texas, after 3 years and 5 months service in the Army. He served with the AAF Ferrying Division. W. C. Tufts, son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Schoonover is taking over the distribution of Texaco Products formerly operated by Schoonover. The company is distributor for Crawford, Otsego, Roscommon and parts of Kalamazoo and Montmorency counties. Schoonover is retiring. When he started out in this business in 1936 it was known as the Grayling Gas and Oil Company. He also operated the Buick Sales and Service which he sold in October 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Peoples and Mr. and Mrs. P. Thurst of Lansing spent a few days visiting with relatives in Lovell. Mrs. Peoples is a sister of Edgar Caid. While they stayed at the R. A. Caid home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Babbitt and son Howard, opened their home last Thursday evening to a group of young people. The lads and lassies arrived right after school (some on the school bus) and parted until 9:30. The group included the Misses Betty Jean Mathewson, Patsy Failing, Joan Bond, Phyllis Ziebell, Ann Holm, Barbara Klein, Marlene Jensen, Helen and Patsy Stephan and the lads were Leonard Jensen, Jimmie Keway, George Granger Lee Nolan, Sanford Law, Rex Hunter and Don and Darrell Ashton.

The Alfred Thery family of Saginaw, were here Sunday to complete the purchase of the Irene Burton Simpson property on the AuSable River. This property had been in possession of the late Joe Burton and his estate since 1907. The sale was consummated by O. P. Schumann. They plans to build a cottage there next summer.

Mrs. Emil Giegling taught the first grade last Wednesday, substituting for Miss June Woodstock.

Capt. George Waurznak, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hatfield and Harold Jr., were guests last Wednesday of the Lloyd Berrys for a venison dinner. Harold Jr., is on leave until the first of the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Trudeau have purchased the "This I Do" cabin at Lake Margrethe from Mr. and Mrs. Roger Knoff. Mrs. Helen Bauman, Rottier left for Detroit Monday evening after visiting several weeks in Grayling with her sister, Miss Margrethe Bauman. She plans to spend the Christmas holidays with another sister, Mrs. Walter Woodson Jr., in Salisbury, N.C.

Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cliff at Lake Margrethe were Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Horning of Northville. Mrs. John Luderan plans to leave Saturday or Sunday to spend two weeks visiting in Toledo and Cleveland. Luderan, who is employed in Toledo, will accompany her home for the holidays.

A farewell party was given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Barber of Frederic by a few members of the family, Mrs. Leo Nelson of Grayling, Mr. and Mrs. George Lodge, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Allen and Mrs. Elroy Barber all of Frederic. The Barbers left Monday night for Santa Ana, Calif. and expect to return about May 1.

Mrs. Ed Martin was a substitute teacher Monday in place of Mrs. Roy Milnes who was ill. Mrs. Joe Stripe is substituting for Wesley Kumpula.

Mr. and Mrs. David M. Burnett and children spent last week guests of the Franklin P. Hills. Another recent guest was Edward Thompson of New York.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Day were Mr. and Mrs. Howard Stolt and parents, the William Stolt, and Mrs. Day's sister, Mrs. Harold Smith and son Danny, all of Petoskey.

Mrs. Norman L. Ballard and daughter, Cam, of Florence, S.C. spent last week as guests of her husband's people, Dr. and Mrs. S. L. Ballard. Norman is in Okinawa. Mr. and Mrs. Franklin P. Hills entertained the family at a dinner party Saturday at which the young Mrs. Ballard was the honored guest.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Joseph were the Misses Marion Huntington and Gerda Jetke of Lansing.

Recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Selesky were his sister, Pvt. Marguerite Selesky of 14 Des Moines and Cecil Graber of Rose City.

Emil Giegling, Carl Peterson, and Hans Peterson attended a Kiwanis District meeting of newly elected officers at Traverse City Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Joseph Cinciala and Mrs. Liland Smock are entertaining St. Mary's Altar Society today at the former's home. Plans will be made for the children's annual Christmas party.

46 YEARS AGO — Dec. 7, 1922

At a regular meeting of Grayling Lodge No. 356 F&AM held Thursday evening, the following officers were elected: Senior warden, John Bruun; junior warden, J. C. Yahr; treasurer, R. D. Connine; senior deacon, John L. Martin; junior deacon, James Bowen; Tyler, L. J. Kraus; stewards, L. N. Mead and William McNeal and worshipful master, Ross N. Martin.

SCHOOL NEWS — Why some of us are here: Frank Schmidt — to fill up space. Finley Klingensmith — to show his "marcelle."

Kristine Salling — to get signers for the big league. Farnham Matson — to learn to be a model.

Carl Hanson — for the sake of civilization. Maxwell Yahr — for greater things in life.

John Phelps — because he hasn't any other place to go.

Mrs. Harold Rasmussen and baby, Laura Ann, were dismissed from Mercy Hospital Saturday.

The Earl Whipple family have moved from Park St. into the J. W. Sorenson house on Chestnut St., formerly occupied by Arthur Poole.

Miss Helen Cook entertained 12 of her girl friends at her home Saturday evening in honor of her birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Burrows are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, born Dec. 6.

Miss Ingeborg Hanson who has been employed at the Sorenson Brothers Store, has taken a position in the New York Electric Supply and Fixture Co., in Saginaw as bookkeeper. Miss Ferne Armstrong who has been employed at Sorenson Brothers has accepted a position at Grayling Mercantile Co., to succeed Mrs. Ruth Brenner Woods. Mrs. Ollie McLeod and Mrs. Elf Rasmussen are filling the vacancies at the Sorenson Brothers Store. David Montour resumed his employment with the M.C.R.R.

## Crawford County Avalanche

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It's just around the corner

Company the fore part of the week after being laid up for a number of weeks with a scalded foot.

A 12 pound son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Deckrow last week.

In the Thanksgiving Day issue of the Bay City Times Tribune, Lt. Col. A. N. Gansser wrote an extended story of how Thanksgiving was spent by members of the 32nd Division in 1918. Local boys, Clarence Johnson, Will Laurant, Harry Hemmingson, Leo Jorgenson, Otto Failing, and Peter Babbitt were among the local boys who well remember that occasion.

### HOT LUNCH MENU

December 9 through 13

Monday — Hamburg gravy on mashed potatoes, mixed fruit, bread and butter.

Tuesday — Pizza burgers, corn fruit, bread and butter.

Wednesday — Bean soup, crackers, cheese, cake, bread and butter.

Thursday — Chili, crackers, peanut butter, pickles, fruit, bread and butter.

Friday — Fish sticks, tartar sauce, mashed potatoes, Jello, bread and butter.

Milk is served daily.

## J. LaGrow Will Attend Income Tax Meeting

James La Grow, manager of the H&R Block Income Tax Service Office at Grayling, will be among H&R Block managers from throughout Michigan attending the firm's annual meeting December 6, 7, and 8 in Flint.

Jim Weldishofer, Toledo, Regional Director of Michigan and Ohio for H&R Block will speak at the meeting.

Included in this year's program is a session on new regulations and procedures pertaining to the Michigan State Income Tax.

City and federal income taxes also will be discussed. H&R Block, the nation's largest income tax service, assists individuals in the preparation of income tax forms and offers a tax consultation service.

## LAKE MARGRETHE WATER LEVEL

(Information furnished by U.S. Geological Survey)

Period of Record: Nov. 12, 1942 to date.  
Area of Lake: 1,920 acres at elevation, 1,135 ft. m.s.l.  
Water level, Nov. 21, 1968: 1133.99 ft.  
Water level, Nov. 21, 1967: 1134.25 ft.  
Maximum level for period of record, Sept. 15, 1961: 1135.46 ft.  
Minimum level for period of record, Sept. 24, 1946: 1133.57 ft.  
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**FOR SALE** — Poodles, miniature and toy. AKC registered. Goldie's Poodle Salon, 348-9318. 5

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**DATE STAMPS FOR SALE** — Avalanche Office.  
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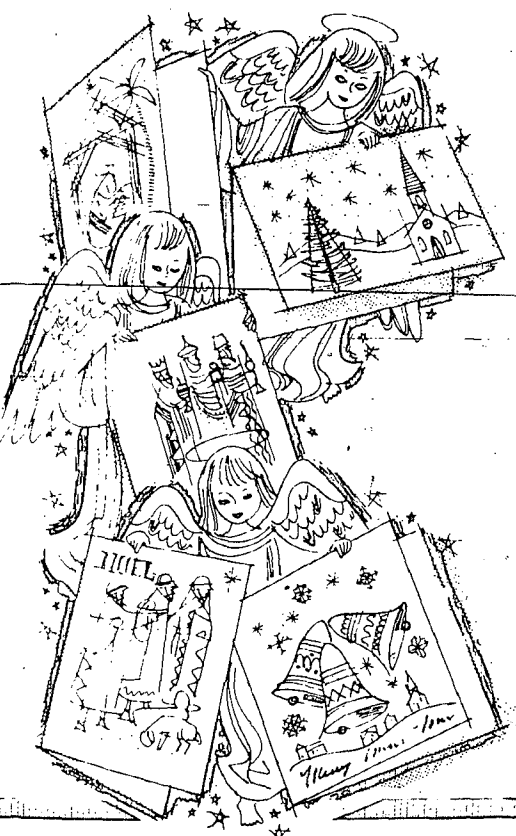
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**BITS O' TALK**

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stillwagon, Mrs. Les Welch and Mrs. Robert Hayes, and in a second car Mr. and Mrs. Jack Alet, drove to Detroit Monday of last week, the men on business and the ladies for pleasure. All returned on Tuesday.

The Lary Gust family enjoyed Thanksgiving dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gust, Mr. and Mrs. Gust and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hunter were in Traverse City Monday of last week, the men to attend the supervisors' convention held there Friday, Nov. 22, Mr. and Mrs. Gust and sons drove to Mt. Pleasant and visited the Ted Carlsons at Central, returning home Saturday evening.

City Manager William Valusek spent Thanksgiving day in Sterling Township, Macomb County, visiting his father, Steve, his brother Rudolph and sister Rose and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Tony Gross spent Thanksgiving in Saginaw, visiting their daughter and family the Reginald Ashtons.

Dorothy R. Zill of 906 Park won a turkey in a drawing at Olson's.

Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Nielson spent the holiday and weekend with their son Weldon and family at Royal Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Beery had as their guests for Thanksgiving and the weekend Ted and Sue Beery of Pontiac, P. M. and Walt Fallon of Ypsilanti, Janice Beery and friend Louis Oien and Larry Beery, all of MSU. Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Beery of Akron, Ohio, spent the previous weekend with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Knutilla and Susan, Margaret and Tom visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Souders, Wednesday and Thursday, returning home on Friday.

Kathy Bourrie of MSU spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bourrie.

Dr. and Mrs. David Blaha and children of Marshalltown, Iowa have been visiting his brother and family, the Dr. Vernon Blaha. Home for the holiday and weekend also were David of Notre Dame University, Ind., and George from Detroit.

Mrs. Harold Hinkley of Holly, N.Y., flew here to spend Thanksgiving with her father, Lloyd Gierke and her son the Leon D'Mours. Her husband arrives Dec. 5 to take her back home.

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The Don Feldhausers received word Monday of last week that their guest of the previous week, June's nephew, Conrad Mismear of Oxford, had been killed in an automobile accident Sunday night near his home town. He was 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Small and family and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Small and family spent Thanksgiving day visiting their sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Demaray in Gladwin.

**Letters To The Editor**

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We know full well that The King can indeed run around the center jump ring of a basketball court — probably even twice, if suited up. He should be able to; he's been running in circles for years.

Jack Mason  
-Neil Olson  
Don Gothro  
Dick DuBois

**Mercy Hospital Auxiliary News**

Mercy Hospital Auxiliary will meet in the temporary Auxiliary Room on the main floor on Dec. 12.

Enthusiasm over the casserole cookbook was such that we are sold out, but are promised a new shipment will be in by Christmas. We have just received a supply of dessert cookbooks which are, like the casserole cookbooks, a compilation of prize recipes from Auxiliary members all over the country.

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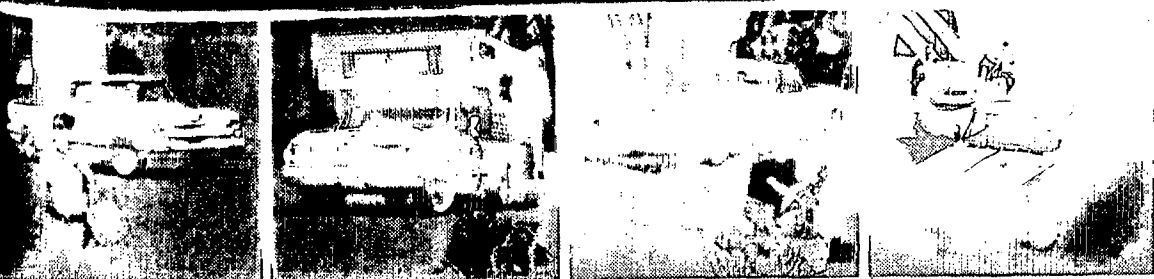
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## SPORTS PAGE

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By Bill Scheer

Do you know which pro football team holds the distinction of being the highest scoring team for one season in pro football history? ... It's the Los Angeles Rams of 1950. That team averaged over 38 points per game, and no professional team has ever topped that.

Everybody's heard of quarterbacks, halfbacks, and fullbacks in football, but who ever heard of a three-quarter back? ... Oddly enough, did you know there was a position by that name in the early days of football? ... When they first gave names to positions on football teams in the 1870's, there was a quarterback, halfback, fullback — and a three-quarterback.

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CHEERS Viking cheerleaders contribute their part as they lead a packed house of Viking boosters during a timeout in the Roscommon-Grayling game here last Wednesday. Viking

backers had a lot to cheer about as the green and white won 100-72.

## Michigan State Oil and Gas Lease Rights Up for Bids December 11

LANSING — Starting December 11 in Lansing, bids will be sought at a public auction by the Department of Natural Resources (DNR) for leasing oil and gas rights linked with 139,000 acres in 24 counties of Michigan's northern Lower Peninsula.

The sale will open at 10 a.m. EST, in Veterans Rooms 1 and 2 of the Civic Center. It will continue through Dec. 12 or until Presque Isle County and subse-

quent geological tests which pointed to good possibilities for

petroleum production in northern Lower Michigan. When the bidding begins December 11, the largest lease offerings will involve 47,020 acres in Emmet County, 26,930 acres in Montmorency County and 25,443 acres in Lake County.

Also being on the next sale's lease list will be lands in Alpena, Arenac, Benzie, Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Clare, Crawford, Grand Traverse, Isabella, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Manistee, Mason, Missaukee, Montcalm, Newaygo, Oce-

ana, Oscoda, Otsego, Presque Isle and Wexford counties.

The DNR's Lands Division in Lansing is offering prospective bidders free list descriptions of these lands and copies of regulations governing their leasing.

GIFT SHOP EARLY!



## Crawford County Avalanche

Thursday, December 5, 1968

## BITS O' TALK

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Derek McEvers for Thanksgiving day were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sorenson, Dr. and Mrs. John Cook, Marlene Feldhauser and four children, Richard Lippard, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Sullivan and son of Marlette.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Berry have sold the Pine Aire Motel to Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Fredette of St. Clair Shores. The Fredettes will take over the business on Dec. 26 and plan to remain open all year. The Berrys will stay in the area for the present but plan on making their residence at Higgins Lake after the Fredettes take over.

Thanksgiving guests of the Ernest Larson's were their daughter Judy and Vern Essenberg and family of Grand Rapids. Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Larson and Chris of Midland, and the Ronald Larson family.

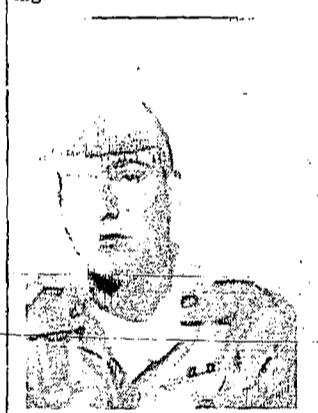
Mrs. Fred Niederer Sr. returned home last Monday from a visit with her daughter Mr. and Mrs. Robert Desser in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. John Niederer and family spent Thanksgiving day with the Fred Niederers Sr. then visited and spent the night with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry McEvers.

Home for the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Douglas were their daughter Sylvia, student at Mercy College in Detroit, and son Tom of Campion Jesuit in Wisconsin. They both returned Sunday. Another son Steve spent the holidays with friends in Chicago, Illinois. The family had Thanksgiving dinner at Lovell's with Miss Margaret Douglas.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bartholomew for Thanksgiving were her parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mariage of Rapid City and Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Mariage and family of Clare, and his mother Mrs. Hazel Bartholomew of Kalamazoo.

Noreen Canfield and Janet Stephan Hatfield are now working at Dora's Beauty Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Carlisle and children spent from Thursday to Saturday in Chicago sight-seeing.



Pvt. John Walters, son of Mrs. Edward Patchak of Beaver Creek, has completed his training at Ft. Gordon, Ga., and is now taking his paratrooper training at Ft. Benning, Ga. For any of John's friends who would like to write him, please use the following address: Pvt. John Walters, RA671-576-40, 49th Co., Sta. Bn. ABN, Class 20 TS13, Ft. Benning, Ga. 31905.

What's New  
About Flu?

The influenza virus, in one form or another, never stops trying. This winter it may try a little harder. Having failed to make a really serious dent in the United States since 1957, when the A-2 strain made its debut, it has now been receiving advance press notices of a 1968-9 appearance in another new or altered form.

This new form of the A-2 strain appeared in Hong Kong last summer, and may dodge the effects of presently available vaccines. In the words of a U.S. Public Health Service report, "Current vaccines may provide only limited protection against A2/Hong Kong/68."

How do you recognize possible symptoms of flu? Many are like the symptoms of the common cold only more so. There may be sore throat, nasal congestion, dry cough, chills, fever, muscular aches. Temperature rises quickly.

Complications could develop, such as bronchitis, pneumonia, sinus trouble, ear infection. But complications are the exception, not the rule. Best thing is to call a doctor if symptoms appear to be developing.

For persons more vulnerable than average, your tuberculosis and respiratory disease association recommends vaccination with current vaccine, even though the protection may be less than complete. Such persons include those 45 years old or more; those with a chronic illness; patients in nursing homes or chronic disease hospitals; and pregnant women. A new vaccine is on the way, but it will take time. When it does become available, let your doctor decide whether you need it.

## Consumers Offers \$500 Reward

Consumers Power Company warns Michigan of the arrest and conviction of persons damaging power lines and equipment. Damaged insulators can cause serious interruption of electric service.



A concerted effort to prosecute vandals who use electric insulators for target practice should pay off this year, according to Consumers Power Company Senior Vice President Harry R. Wall.

The company recently increased a reward offer to \$500 from the original \$100 leading to the arrest and conviction of persons deliberately interrupting electric service.

Wall said the first six months' report for 1968 shows a drop to 16 incidents from a high of 19 for the same six-month period in 1967. During this same period, several prosecutions were made under the terms of the increased reward offer.

"It may be too early to be sure," said Wall, "because most of the occurrences come during the last six months of the year, principally during hunting season. So far this hunting season, four separate gunshot insulator direct interest in stopping interruptions," he said.

"When vandals shoot at insulators," Wall explained, they endanger their own lives to some extent but, what is worse, they endanger lives of others, possibly miles away from the scene. He cited the possibility of service being interrupted to hospitals where a patient may be

on the operating table. Iron lung patients relying on electric service, as few others, Wall said.

The damage often shows up until moisture or flashover of electric lines. "Then we find," he said, "several insulators in a row been damaged and we know the cause were the cause."

Consumers Power makes full inspections of the lines, men on foot and in helicopters search for damaged insulators before they can become out of service.

"But we can't always find them," said Wall. "After all, why we count on consumers to keep the police informed of the occurrences, come during the last six months of the year, principally during hunting season. So far this hunting season, four separate gunshot insulator direct interest in stopping interruptions," he said.



**ORANGE CRANBERRY HAM GLAZE**  
1/2 cup cranberry-orange relish  
1 jar (10 oz.) orange marmalade  
1/2 teaspoon ground cloves

Blend ingredients. spread on scored. Cure #1 Ham for 24 hours of baking. To garnish: use dollops of cranberry-orange relish atop slices of fresh orange as shown.

**A SUNSHINE BRUNCH**  
Dip crusty slices of French bread in French toast batter. Fry bread till golden, then top with pan-browned slices of juicy, meaty SPAM. Serve with Sunny Orange Syrup.

**SUNNY ORANGE SYRUP**  
Mix 1 6-oz. can Concentrated Orange Juice with 1/2 cup sugar (thawed and undiluted) with 1/2 cup of light Karo Syrup (or maple syrup). Makes about two cups of syrup on waffles or pancakes too.

**SNACKS IN THE HOLIDAY MOOD**

For tempting, colorful Appetizer Balls use SPAM Spread or mix one 3 oz. can with 1 Tbsp dry onion soup mix and 1/2 oz. cream cheese. Roll into tiny balls, chill. Then spear toothpicks, frost with chopped nuts, parsley, parmesan cheese. Chill until served.

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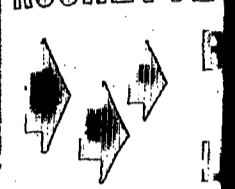
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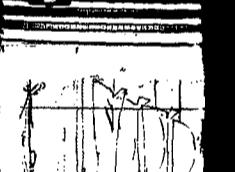
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DATES AND EVENTS FROM YESTERYEARS

The Irish Free State was created, December 6, 1921. The United States, Russia and Great Britain reached agreement in Tehran, December 6, 1943.

Japan attacked Pearl Harbor, December 7, 1941. The United States declared a state of war with Austria, December 1917.

The American Federation of Labor was formed, December 8, 1886. Japanese bombers hit Wake Island, December 1941.

Guam was captured by Japanese forces, December 9, 1941. British warships "Prince of Wales" and "Repulse" were sunk by Japanese action.

Gov. J.A. Campbell signed the Wyoming "Female Suffrage" bill promoted by Ester Morris, known as "Mother Woman Suffrage," December 10, 1869.

The United States authorized the rank of five-star generals and admirals, December 11, 1944.

The U.S. Supreme Court outlawed wire-tapping evidence, December 12, 1939.

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## Dramatically Speaking ...

BY CARL MINOR

Modjeska, the world-renowned Polish actress, once visited the United States, scoring triumph after triumph during her tour of the American theater. Becoming the idol of the social set, she was invited to attend an endless procession of banquets and social functions. Society's leading hostesses vied for her presence. Inevitably she would be requested to recite scenes from her dramatic performances. Resenting this intrusion upon her right to privacy, Modjeska on one occasion refused to play a scene for the guests. However, after her hostess coaxed and pleaded with her, the celebrated actress finally agreed to recite a poem in her native language. At the end of the brief, but moving, recitation most of the audience was in tears. Her tearful hostess gushed effusively, "Oh, Madame Modjeska, that was magnificent! What was the name of that tragic poem?"

Looking her hostess in the eye, Modjeska retorted, "That was the Polish alphabet. If you don't mind, now I go home."

As the anecdote indicates, the use of the voice is of first importance to an actor or actress. If the audience is to be emotionally aroused, acting, then, is not merely the ability to imitate other people. Acting is the art of creating an illusion of naturalness and reality. In theatrical parlance, the qualities needed as an actor are known as the "ten commandments" of acting. The first of these is interpretation, the ability to read lines so as to stimulate in the audience the moods and ideas intended by the dramatist. Next in importance is memorization. If you cannot memorize accurately, you belong in the audience instead of on stage. Memorizing the last lines of a speech is of special importance, since actors listen for these lines as their cue to speak.

The third quality of the actor is characterization, the art of portraying a definite person. It is not enough to be able to interpret and understand what a character is supposed to be like; the actor must project the character adequately and accurately. This is acquired through the fourth quality, imagination, an indispensable attribute of any actor. Through imagination, the actor is able to visualize and understand his stage character. Once the character is visualized, exaggeration comes into play, allowing the actor to magnify

certain characteristics out of proportion, both overplaying and underplaying. If an actor works as a member of a team when on stage, he will achieve the sixth quality of an actor, namely, cooperation. He sees the entire cast and stage crew as a team and the director as a coach and then applies the standards of successful teamwork to his efforts.

To represent a character, an actor's body must reflect the personality that he is creating. The quality of coordination is the ability to function harmoniously while creating that personality. Through observation, the actor forms definite mental images of his stage character. By imitation of real-life personalities, the actor gradually is able to give a realistic touch that will make a stage character natural and believable. Finally, the tenth commandment, or tenth quality, of an actor is concentration. Nothing must distract the actor during rehearsal or performance. By following the ten commandments of acting, an actor creates an illusion of his character and is able to move, speak, and look like the personality he is portraying on stage.

### 2-C Peter A. Funck On Aircraft Carrier

LONG BEACH, Calif. — Fire Control Technician Second Class Peter A. Funck, USN, 19, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Funck of 408 Chestnut St., Grayling, is serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Ticonderoga at Long Beach, Calif.

His ship has won its third Navy Unit Commendation. Ticonderoga received the award for action during its fourth combat cruise with the Seventh Fleet off the coast of Vietnam.

While deployed, Ticonderoga launched air attacks against enemy defenses in Vietnam. The carrier also acted in support of U.S. and Allied ground forces at Khe Sanh and other embattled areas in the five northernmost provinces of South Vietnam.

The San Diego-based carrier is the first attack carrier to complete four combat missions off the coast of Vietnam and has received three Navy Unit Commendations in four years.

BRING EM BACK HOME



Left to Right Donald DeMoss, Executive Vice President of the Michigan Jaycees; Robert Padgett, Chairman of the Michigan Jaycees; L.A. Governor William Milliken; and Daniel McCafferty, State Project Showboat Chairman meet to discuss the Michigan Jaycee Project Showboat. Milliken is serving as Honorary State Chairman for the project which seeks to raise \$115,000 to purchase, equip, and staff a medical houseboat for use in Southeast Asia.

## BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larson and Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Larson left last Saturday noon, Nov. 23, and picked up Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Larson at Midland then went on to Dearborn to attend the wedding of William Vollmer and Ginger Turpin which took place at the First Baptist Church of Dearborn. The reception followed at the Roma Hall in Livonia. William has been a frequent visitor in the Grayling area.

Paul and Donna Thomson and four children left Wednesday noon of last week to visit his brother John and family in Chelsea for Thanksgiving. They returned home Thursday night. Miriam and John Brozo, students at Northwestern College, spent the Thanksgiving holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brozo. John entered the hospital last week and underwent surgery for the removal of his appendix but expected to return home Sunday.

Guests for the Thanksgiving holiday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John B. Lennon were their daughter Denise, student at CMU. Also there for Thanksgiving were their son Charles Lennon and friend Margaret Krian of Saginaw.

Sandy Millikin was home from Michigan State University, East Lansing to spend the 4-day holiday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Millikin.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kucherek and girls spent Thanksgiving day in Roscommon visiting her sister, Mrs. Velma Hartman and family.

NOTICE — The office at Grayling Township Hall will be open for the collection of taxes from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday during December. Ruby Rietz, deputy Grayling Township Treasurer. Phone 348-4361 or 348-9407.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lacey Stephan Sr. for Thanksgiving day were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hanna and family of Traverse City. They arrived Tuesday evening to do some hunting and returned home Thursday evening taking with them for a visit Mike and Tim Neilson, sons of Toni Neilson, who is visiting her brother.

Sally Bewow of Alma spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Thelma Bewow. Also home for the weekend was her son Richard of Vassar, and another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Burnside and family of Bay City were up for the weekend.

### PARTRIDGES AND PEAR TREES

Christmas for 12 days? Why not — as the folksong suggests — lengthen the season of giving and joy?

The incredibly popular Yuletide song, of course, celebrates long-ago customs — when the great midwinter festival really did last for 12 days. The song honors the days from Christmas to Epiphany — Jan. 6 — the day the Three Wise Kings, laden with precious gifts, came from the East to visit the Child.

Partridges and pear trees are not very common Christmas gifts these days — if indeed they ever were. But giving and gifts are still cherished holiday customs. Christmas Seals are one of those customs. And the design of this year's Christmas Seal is a plump partridge in a tree of golden pears, the gift — in the folksong — for the first day of Christmas.

Using Christmas Seals lengthens the holiday spirit of giving — far beyond 12 days. It lengthens those days into a relentless year — around struggle to combat emphysema, tuberculosis, and air pollution. The year-round program of your local TB-RO association helps make life livable for a great many people with respiratory problems.

Partridges and pear trees are a symbol of generosity, good will and joy. That is why they are this year's Christmas Seal. The Christmas Seals. It's a symbol of life and breath.

### BRIDAL SHOWER HELD

Kay Jansen was the honor guest at a miscellaneous shower Nov. 24 at the home of Mrs. John List in Saginaw, given by Mrs. List, Mrs. Richard Peters and Mrs. Charles Jansen of Roscommon. Card games provided entertainment with a luncheon afterwards. Assisting Kay in opening her gifts was her maid-of-honor-to-be, Julie Miller of Saginaw, who attends the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. Another miscellaneous shower was given for Kay by her fiancée's sister, Mrs. Ashley Moore, in Port Huron on Nov. 17.

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in French toast batter,  
top with pan-browned  
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Orange Juice from Florida  
1/2 cups of light Karo  
out two cups of syrup

HOLIDAY MOOD!  
Balls use SPAM Spread  
p. dry onion soup mix  
balls, chili. Then spr  
nuts, parsley, paki

## Road Commissioners' Minutes

Nov. 15, 1968

A regular meeting of the Board of Crawford County Road Commissioners held in their office in Grayling, Chairman Mead presiding. Members present, Commissioners Howard H. Mead, Harold T. Johnson, and R. E. Shook. Engineer Manager John M. Keir and Superintendent Norman H. Feldhauser. Absent, none.

The minutes of the last regular meeting were read. A motion was made by Comm. Johnson, supported by Comm. Shook, that the minutes be approved as read. All voting in favor motion carried.

An application was received from Top O' Michigan Rural Electric Co. for a permit to do maintenance tree trimming and tree removal to provide adequate clearance from all distribution lines for the calendar year 1969. A motion was made by Comm. Shook, supported by Comm. Johnson, that the permit be granted. All voted in favor, motion carried.

A temporary injunction was received and read by Engr.

Mgr. Keir, issued by John Maghielski and Ivan A. MacArthur, to prevent the Road Commission from maintaining Sand Hill Road.

Following a discussion of current problems and future programs a trip of inspection was made over roads in the County. Upon returning to their office a motion was made and supported to adjourn. All voted in favor, motion carried, meeting adjourned.

Howard H. Mead, Chmn.  
Florence S. Douglas, Secy.

## WEATHER

Courtesy of Wayne Rose

Date	Max.	Min.	Precip.	Snow	On Gr.
Nov. 20	30	24	0.06	0.6	11
Nov. 21	34	22	tr	—	9
Nov. 22	41	31	0.01	—	3
Nov. 23	46	28	—	—	2
Nov. 24	48	35	0.02	—	2
Nov. 25	38	31	tr	—	tr

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## MICHIGAN STATE OIL and GAS LEASES

State-owned oil and gas lease rights in 139,034 acres will be offered at public auction beginning December 11, 1968 at 10:00 A.M. EST, in the Veterans Rooms 1 and 2, Civic Center, 505 West Allegan Street, Lansing, Michigan, and continuing through December 12 or until all descriptions have been offered.

Included in this sale are 2,433 acres of Crawford County lands located in T25N, R4W.

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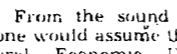
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## WASHINGTON and Small Business

BY C. WILSON HARDER

Tweedledee, Tweedledeedum



Washington and Small Business

From the sound of its title, one would assume that the Federal Economic Development Administration would be a hard-nosed sort of an agency concerned with the creation of new industry and new jobs.

But apparently, this bureau shares with many other federal bureaus a complete disregard as to how the taxpayers' money should be spent. It is now announced that the Federal Economic Development Administration is going to give San Francisco a grant of \$150,000 to make a study on the feasibility of tearing down the almost brand new Giant baseball park in that city and building a new one in another location.

Some ten years ago San Francisco spent several millions of dollars building Candlestick Park as part of the inducement to get the New York Giants to move West.

But the new San Francisco mayor, Joseph Alioto, has never liked the ballpark built during the regime of one of his Republican predecessors. He wants to tear it down and spend about \$42 million on a new one, even though taxes on San Francisco's home owners have zoomed double, treble and more.

Of course, there are some complaints that Candlestick Park gets overly windy at times, and there is some who say this accounts for the falling attendance at Giant games. But on the other hand, the fact that only once in ten years have the Giants won the pennant may also be a factor in this matter of "tweedledee" and "tweedledeedum" Agency.

## BITS O' TALK

Jeff Fowler got an eight-point buck the second Saturday of deer season, making two in the family counting his dad's.

Seaman John Millikin left Sunday the 24th for his new assignment in Hawaii, leaving his wife Sylvia with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Leas. Sylvia and John spent his two weeks' leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Millikin, coming here from the state of Washington.

Jim and Jean Wakeley are visiting their daughter and family, the Dave Wyman's in Missouri.

Susan and Jack Welch and family were home for the Thanksgiving holiday from Ferris State College, Big Rapids, visiting their parents, the Les Welches and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hayes.

Mr. and Mrs. James McCaffery of Dearborn spent the weekend before last visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Borchers.

Gail Hunter, student at MSU spent the holidays with her parents the Les Hunters.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Jansen, Curt and David, were in Saginaw Thanksgiving to visit her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Horn and with them be dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Frost. Miss Kay Jansen and fiancé David Hoag of Ann Arbor were also there.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Evert Fuller for Thanksgiving day were their son Joé Fuller of Union Lake. Also they received word that Mr. and Mrs. Charles Judge, their daughter, had a girl last Sunday. They named her Marchalle. The Judges are from Pontiac Lake.

Miss Kathy Welch and friend of Vesterberg were Thanksgiving guests of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Les Welch. They returned home Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Welch and family who spent the time with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hayes, also visited his parents the Welches.

## Council Proceedings

Record of City Council Proceedings, meeting held on the 25th day of November A. D. 1968, Grayling, Mich.

Regular meeting of the City Council held Monday, Nov. 25, 1968 at 7:30 p.m. in the City Hall.

The meeting was called to order by the City Clerk at 7:45 p.m.

Moved by Golinick, supported by Thomson that Derek McEvers be appointed Chairman in the absence of the Mayor and Mayor Pro-tem. Yeas all, the motion carried.

Minutes of the meeting of November 11 were presented. Moved by Thomson, supported by Golinick that the minutes be approved as presented.

Yeas all, the motion carried.

A letter from the Grayling Regional Chamber of Commerce was read expressing appreciation for the Cooperation of the City in connection with the Red Coat Roundup.

Moved by Golinick, supported by McEvers, that the City purchase life insurance for the City Manager until he is eligible for the insurance coverage provided in the retirement plan. Yeas all, the motion carried.

Discussion was held regarding the need for additional public housing and the Snowmobile Law.

Moved by Thomson, supported by McEvers, that William Valusek be appointed as a representative of the City on the Grayling-Crawford Regional Planning Commission. Yeas all, the motion carried.

The meeting adjourned at 10:00 p.m.

William Valusek  
City Clerk

## MEA Regional Council Meets

The regular monthly meeting of the MEA Regional Council met in Grayling on Wednesday evening, Nov. 20. Minutes of the October meeting were read and approved. The regional treasurer reported a balance of \$656.50 in the treasury. It was noted that the loan made from the Teachers' Retirement Fund last June has been guaranteed. The fund is now in good shape. Results of the recent election were discussed.

A proposal by the state superintendent of public instruction, Ira Polley to compel all students to attend school for six hours was discussed. It was noted that the proposal would eliminate half-day sessions, or the release of students from study periods. The proposal would also increase from 60 percent to 70 percent the number of students required to be in school in order to count the day as a full school day. Both administrators and teachers are opposed to the proposal. Marilyn Kelly, who was just re-elected to the State Board of Education, is strongly opposed to the suggested changes.

Bill Schuler of Alpena, chairman of the professional negotiations committee, reported that a P-N workshop is scheduled for Dec. 13 and 14 at Battle Creek. Each local unit is urged to have members of its negotiating team present. Gerald Bronson of Cheboygan, chairman of the professional rights and responsibilities committee, stated that a P-R workshop will be held on Nov. 22 and 23 at Higgins Lake. The purpose of the workshop is to train investigators who will be able to handle tenure and negotiation problems throughout the state. It is hoped that some 200 to 300 qualified persons will soon be available to help throughout the state.

Bill Granland, assistant superintendent of the Gaylord Public Schools, reported on the work of his legislation committee. He stated that Dan Welburn and Dick Adams, our lobbyists in Lansing are doing a good job. He urged teachers, as well as administrators, to offer suggestions on ways to implement new educational legislation.

A report from Myrtle Gierke of Alpena, membership chairman, showed that our region has 1,180 united members as of Nov. 1, compared with 1,129 as of last June, 30. The organization is growing each year; some local associations have increased membership as much as 30 percent.

Max Novak of Charlevoix, member of the State M.E.A. board of directors, reported on the November meeting of the board. He discussed the current problems facing the Detroit Education Association at some length. He stated that the state board is now interviewing five candidates for the position of executive secretary. Dr. Dale Kennedy, present secretary, retires this year. Novak reported that MEA has purchased the Huron Towers in Ann Arbor for eight million dollars. It will be used as a retirement home for retired teachers. This is in addition to the property owned at Saline. He also mentioned that a study of regional constitutions is now underway.

Maurine Wyatt of Traverse City, M.E.A. field representative, discussed the court case on the Agency Shop problem in Saginaw, where two teachers were dismissed by the administration when they refused to join the local association. She stated that a number of schools, such as Saugat Ste. Marie, already have an Agency Shop clause in their master contracts. Cheboygan is on the point of reopening its master contract in order to include an agency shop clause.

Bill Suriano of the M.E.A. insurance program will be the principle speaker at the January meeting of the regional council. Dick Adams, M.E.A. legislation consultant, will be in Charlevoix Tuesday, Nov. 26, in order to meet with administrators, teachers and legislators.

Lucille MacArthur of Cheboygan, state N.E.A. director, reported on her recent meeting in Washington, D.C. She stated that there are now 1,081,000 members of the N.E.A. and only 163,000 members of the American Federation of Teachers. That is only 7.9 percent of the total number of teachers belong to the union, rather than to the professional organization. This was the principal reason why the N.E.A. turned down the A.F.T.'s offer to merge last summer. She said last year 21 local AFT units had dropped their union affiliation and had joined with the N.E.A. The 1969 national convention is scheduled to be held in Philadelphia.

Bill Marin, retired intermediate school district superintendent from Cheboygan, has been invited to serve as the regional M.E.A. representative. Roberts Wyns of Alpena has been selected to be regional treasurer next year. He is to continue serving as regional secretary while training for the job as treasurer.

Moved by Thomson, supported by McEvers, that Howard Taylor of Grayling, special consultant for professional negotiations, be explained his work in the region during the past year. He urged the local negotiating teams to use the service of the P-N consultant. He reminded the members that salary was only one of the things to be negotiated. The betterment of education is the goal of all professional negotiations. Local associations must be prepared to pay their negotiators for their work. Last year the chief negotiator for Alpena received \$200 and each assistant \$100, plus expenses. In Cheboygan, the chief negotiator received \$600. They are asking for 10 percent of base salary for chief negotiator and 6 percent for assistants.

Carl B. J. Minor, President-Elect of Region 14.

**Frederic**  
By Mrs. Abbie Medill  
(Too late for last week)

A birthday dinner Sunday at the Gene Gabriel home honored both Patti Gabriel and Bob Barber, whose birthdays are Nov. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barber of Taylor spent the weekend at Frederic with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Barber returned home Friday from Gurnee, Ill., where they had spent five days with the Vic Papendick family.

**Lovells**  
By Mrs. Ruth Caid  
(Too late for last week)

Mr. and Mrs. William Koernke and Gus Koernke are spending the holidays with relatives in Jackson and Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Rooker and Mr. and Mrs. Burt Gilbert left the first of the week to spend the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Doby and Mrs. Louise Haefka visited relatives in Midland over the week end.

Friends of Mrs. Marie Olsen will be interested to know that she left Saturday to spend several weeks in Japan visiting her son David and family.

## CROSSWORD PUZZLE

8 Crawford County Avalanche Thursday, December 5

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- 3. Pig
- 4. Sheep
- 5. Horse
- 6. Chicken
- 7. Turkey
- 8. Duck
- 9. Goose
- 10. Rabbit
- 11. Cat
- 12. Dog
- 13. Fish
- 14. Frog
- 15. Toad
- 16. Snake
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### Michigan Gets \$1.4 Million Outdoor Rec. Improvements

SING—Michigan was allotted \$1,463,526 as its federal Land and Water Conservation Fund monies for the fiscal year to help the state and local levels. The federal, state, and local funds have been translated into 153 outdoor recreation projects covering a wide spate of leisure time needs for neighborhood and city park users, campers, boaters, picnickers, sightseers, swimmers and others.

The federal Land and Water Fund is sustained by revenues from entrance and user fees at national recreation areas, proceeds from the sale of surplus federal property, and the federal motorboat fuels tax. Nationwide, it has parceled out \$47,500,000 for the current fiscal year to cost-share the expansion of recreational opportunities.

Michigan's current allocation of almost \$1.5 million for the fiscal year has been drawn from federal lands and facilities funding begun under the 1964 act.

### Christmas Seal Sale Lags In County

State-wide contributions to Michigan's 1968 Christmas Seal campaign are running slightly behind, reports Mrs. Ned Deming, campaign committee chairman for the Michigan Tuberculosis and Respiratory Disease Association. She explained that the Christmas Seal appeal letters were held back and mailed a week later than usual in order not to get mixed up in the volume of political mail just prior to the state and national election. She said contributions returned to date indicate that the deficit will more than likely be eliminated by the first week of December and, although it is too early to predict the outcome, she does feel the campaign will pass its goal of \$1,632,000.

Crawford County citizens have contributed \$254 to the end of the third week, which is slightly behind the \$518 contributed at the same time last year.

Mrs. Deming said that the work of the tuberculosis and respiratory disease associations in Michigan have increased with much of the Association's time and funds spent on TB detection, in assisting in tuberculin skin testing and chest X-ray testing with county and city health departments, and in promoting the use of drugs to prevent tuberculosis. She said Michigan had 2,951 new cases of TB in 1967. This is a rate of about 55 new cases per week. Children and teenagers accounted for one case in five. It is estimated that 1,100,000 people in Michigan have been infected with TB. The great majority of these persons will never have active TB, but they are at greater risk of developing active TB than people not now infected. Christmas Seal funds help to find persons with TB in order to help them prevent breakdown with active TB.

In addition, Christmas Seal funds support a dual breathing classes for persons suffering emphysema, chronic bronchitis, asthma and other respiratory ailments; exercise classes for youngsters suffering from asthma; smoking education in elementary and secondary grade levels; smoking withdrawal clinics for adults; air pollution information; seminars on respiratory diseases for physicians and nurses; research at Michigan's great universities and many other health-related programs.

The support of all Michigan citizens is needed to continue the year-round Christmas Seal programs in education, service and research.

Crawford County residents who have not answered their appeal letter as yet are urged to do so as soon as possible. Christmas Seals work to protect the breath of life. Christmas Seals mean more because they do more.

### BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Clore attended a GOP reception for Lt. Gov. William Milliken at the Whittier Hotel Friday and Saturday in Detroit, then left for regions further south to spend the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mauren visited her mother, Mrs. Dennis Lezotte Thursday in River Rouge their daughter and family, the Jack Hulls near Pontiac on Friday, and another daughter, the Allan Stewarts in Farmington Saturday and Sunday, returning home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hull were at their son's home Saturday and Sunday also.

Guests of Mrs. Matilda Hunter from Tuesday to Thursday, for Thanksgiving, were her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Laurier, and children, and her mother, Mrs. George Stephan, of Traverse City.

Enjoy the fish fry every Friday evening at the Penguin Inn, serving from 3:30 to 8:30.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Bast and son of Taylor, the Roger Barham of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Boyd and daughter of Clarkston were guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Hatley over Thanksgiving. A very good percentage of deer were hanging up there. Six out of seven hunters got their deer, only two of them does. Jim got a spikehorn on Saturday morning.

Billie Bovee and roommate Cheri Gossett, spent Thanksgiving weekend at the home of Christine Essex on Long Island. The girls attended "Man of La Mancha" in New York City during the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Doroh spent from Thursday to Saturday visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Barnhart and family in Lansing.

### GETTING MORE MAIL, ENJOYING IT LESS

LANSING—Secretary of State James M. Hare is getting much more mail than usual these days, but it's hardly in the category of fan mail, and he feels it's all misdirected.

"Our Department is being deluged with letters complaining about the sharp increase in vehicle weight tax (license plate fees)," says Hare. "Actually, the law increasing fees was passed by the state Legislature during the extra session of 1967 and signed by Governor Romney."

"Unfortunately, because our Department is charged with collection of weight taxes through the sale of plates and because we send out the prepared applications, it must bear the brunt of the public complaints in this type of situation."

"Many persons are unaware that revenue for the sale of plates goes toward building and maintaining Michigan's roads and highways. Expenditure of this money is under the jurisdiction of the State Highways Department. The Department of State has no say about it one way or another."

"Anyone who feels that this added tax is unfair should take it up with the proper agencies. I'm certain they have a rationale for the increase and can better tell the public where the additional revenue is going."

### Announced Engagement

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harcourt of Frederic announce the engagement of their daughter Alice Genevieve to Andrew Nicholas Bloos of Grayling. A February wedding is being planned. Andrew is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Bloos of Route 1, Roscommon.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank Dr. Blaha and the Mercy Hospital staff for their care while I was in the hospital. Special thanks to Bob Smock Jr. and Polly Patterson, and my friends for their many visits.

John Brozo III

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### BITS O' TALK

Mr. and Mrs. David Miller and of Flint and Mr. and Mrs. Miller and family, also arrived Wednesday to Thanksgiving with their Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lake of Hale, son Phillip of the city, who dropped in the evening. The Lakes returned Thursday evening but David family stayed until Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Huber spent from Thursday evening visiting their Mr. and Mrs. William and Mr. and Mrs. Charles in Ludington.

### It is Natural for Invent

By Willard Bossorman  
County Extension Natural Resource Agent

An article in the November of "Soil Conservation," a Conservation Service magazine, tells the soil acts as a natural for sewage effluent. The waste in the top 6-8 inches of soil, "disappears" naturally into the breakdown and release of organic materials. Disposers include insects, snails, worms, protozoa, fungi, algae, and higher plants. These digest the material and break them into plant nutrients that and trees can use to grow. As and lakes are not used to recycle organic material at least not at the rate required.

In the cities and companies are irrigating effluent onto the natural filtering. Various methods of distribution have been tried, but spray application appears to be the best. Years of successful operation of a system of spray irrigation for disposal of sewage plant effluents on both and and woodland at Pennsylvania State University has shown the way for other communities.

This demonstration, the detritus not removed by ordinary sewage treatment were broken down for their phosphate content by the soil organisms. The waste was almost entirely broken down and much of the nitrogen — as the effluent per inch down through the top two inches of soil.

Spraying was done by over-sprinklers at an application of two inches per week. Both of clover and wood was increased, and some species were favored over others. Masses of ice accumulated around the sprinklers at in the winter, but there was no odor at any time. In this any possible disease hazard removed by chlorinating effluent before spraying, and all removed much of the

Questions have been asked locally whether the bacteria would eventually reach stream through the ground. The new 1968 year book of culture has an article about bacteria from Pennsylvania University. Follow the report from their

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, student at Northwestern and Camilla, from CMU, spent the Thanksgiving weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. X. D. Johnson and family of Toledo, Ohio spent the weekend at their cottage at Lake Margrethe.

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### HEY KIDS!

Make a Date... See

**SANTA CLAUS**  
AT THE  
**GRAYLING STATE BANK**  
Friday, December 13  
6:00 P.M. TO 8:00 P.M.

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BORCHERS  
**MINCE MEAT** ..... pkg. 29¢

CALDIS — 1 LB. 14 OZ.  
**Sliced Peaches** ... 3 for 89¢

**SEEDLESS RAISINS** 2 lbs. 59¢  
SWANSDOWN  
**CAKE MIX** ..... 2 for 49¢  
JAINTY LUNCH — 16 OZ. GLASS  
**ASSORTED JELLY** ..... 29¢

MANDALAY — Sliced, Crushed or Tidbits  
**PIEAPPLE** ..... lb. can 19¢

AMERICAN LEADER — 1 LB. — 14 OZ.  
**PEELED TOMATOES** 3 for 89¢  
OUR FAVORITE — LB. CAN  
**GREEN BEANS** ..... can 16¢  
**Thank You Pudding** . 20 oz. 25¢

CHUN KING — Mushroom, Beef, Chicken—1 qt. 10 oz.  
**CHOP SUEY** ..... can 69¢

RUTTERNUT OR BON TON — 1 LB. — 4 OZ.  
**WHITE BREAD** 4 lbs. 99¢  
**Spread Eze OLEO** ..... 3 lbs. 39¢

SWEET SEEDLESS DOZ.  
**ORANGES** ..... 49¢

FLORIDA  
**TANGERINES** ..... doz. 49¢  
TOKAY  
**RED GRAPES** ..... lb. 25¢

GOLDEN RIPE LB.  
**BANANAS** ..... 10¢

**BANQUET DINNERS** ... ea. 39¢  
MARINER — 8 OZ.  
**FISH STICKS** ..... 2 for 39¢  
TOWN SQUARE — STRAWBERRY — PEACH  
**SHORT CAKE** ..... ea. 29¢

ROLLED BONELESS LB.  
**PORK ROASTS** ..... 69¢

ENO CUT  
**PORK CHOPS** ..... lb. 49¢  
FRESH SLICED  
**BEEF LIVER** ..... lb. 49¢  
LEAN  
**PORK STEAK** ..... lb. 69¢

SMALL LEAN LB.  
**SMOKED PICNICS** ..... 39¢

STICK  
**BIG BOLOGNA** ..... lb. 49¢  
LEAN  
**SIDE PORK** ..... lb. 59¢

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## BITS O' TALK

Thanksgiving guests at the Jack Feldhauser home included Oscar Parsons and Charlie Feldhauser of Ausagra Acres, the Ted Baynham and Larry Baynham families of Maple Forest, Mrs. Edith McGillis and grandson Johnny McGillis of Roscommon, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and son of Wyandotte, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Reith and Sherry of Mt. Pleasant, Edward Bessie and Dora Feldhauser, Mr. and Mrs. Curt Feldhauser and Bryon. Gayle Feldhauser was home for the weekend from Alpena Community College.

Pre-inventory sale, everything reduced — glassware, pottery, milk glass, jewelry, moccasins, leather goods. Weavers Gift Shop.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Trudgen for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Dave Turpin and family of Lansing.

Shirley Arnold went to Detroit last Wednesday to pick up her wife, Mrs. Arnold, who had spent the past month visiting her daughter, Wanda Crapin and family. They had Thanksgiving dinner with their son, Dale Arnold, and returned home on Sunday.

Enjoy the Smorgasbord at the Penguin Inn every Wednesday evening, serving from 6:00 to 11:00.

Guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Gohro from Wednesday to Sunday was their daughter Mrs. Ted Carlson of Mt. Pleasant. Ted spent Wednesday night there and then continued on to the Upper Peninsula to do some hunting with relatives, returning on Sunday.

### What - Where - When

Veteran Representative Thomas Mitchell will be in the Court House every 2nd Tuesday of each month.

Dec. 4: Cub Scout Leaders Roundtable and Christmas party. Bring dish to pass for pot luck, and a gift that costs less than 25¢. Roscommon Elementary School, 7:30.

Dec. 4: Chapter 83, OES regular meeting and Christmas party at Masonic Temple, 8:00 p.m.

Dec. 4: Woman's Club Holiday dinner and bake sale, Michelson Memorial Meth. Church 5:30 to 7:00 p.m.

Dec. 4: Centennial Committee luncheon, Chief Shoppengons Hotel, 12 noon. Public invited.

Dec. 5: Our Gang Club meeting at the home of Mrs. Frank Serven around 7:30.

Dec. 5: Reg. meeting Grayling Lodge 356 P & AM, and election of officers, 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 5: Cub Scout Leaders committee meeting, Michelson Memorial Church at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 5: Frederic Woman's Club Christmas Party, Town Hall, 6 p.m. Gift exchange.

Dec. 5: St. John Lutheran Church Women meet, 2 p.m., at Mrs. Walter Mangsen's. Note date change.

Dec. 8, 8 p.m.: Dec. 7, 8 a.m.: University of Scouting at Higgins Lake Conservation School. For all Cub Scout, Boy Scout, and Explorer leaders.

Dec. 7: AuSable Swingers square dance, Grayling elementary school, 8 p.m. Caller Darrel Figg.

Dec. 7: AuSable Snow Machine Club meeting, Frederic Sportsman's Hall, 2 p.m. Installation of officers.

Dec. 9: Crawford Grange business meeting at Woman's Club Building on Ingham 8:00 p.m.

Dec. 9: Chap. 28 MSEA regular meeting at Chief Shoppengons at 7:30 p.m.

Dec. 10: Silver Top Senior Citizens Christmas party, 6:30 dinner at elementary school. Bring gift to exchange, ladies for ladies, men for men, not over \$1.50 value. Club will furnish ham.

Dec. 10: Legion Auxiliary meeting and Christmas Party, 8 p.m.

Dec. 10: St. Francis' Guild Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Don Wood, 1:00 p.m., gift exchange.

Dec. 11: V.F.W. Post 3736 meeting in City Hall Council Room, 8 p.m.

Dec. 11: Christmas party for the 'Over-70' at Woman's Club house starting at 1:30. All over 70 are invited.

Visiting the John Canfield family for Thanksgiving day were Mr. and Mrs. James McDougall and six children of Wayne, the Jack Canfields and the Dan Canfields of Grayling, the Daryl Fishell family of Roscommon, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hatch and sons of Leslie, the Ben Canfields and baby and Penny Habricht and the Lyle Canfields of Wayne. The McDougalls stayed for the weekend so the men could go hunting. Sandy and Marcia Canfield left for Saginaw with their brother Lyle to spend the weekend with the Bob Canfields.

About 30 friends and relatives gathered at the new home of the Larry Baynham family, located by the Maple Forest town hall, for a house warming party on Sunday afternoon.

Christmas shop at The Cottage Shop, 205 McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Wood returned home Friday from a three week vacation in Florida, accompanying Mrs. Wood's sister, Mrs. E. J. Olson, down. They spent Thanksgiving with their daughter, Dr. and Mrs. David Warren in Midland. The Warrens brought them home and went on to Traverse City to visit friends over the weekend. Sunday Mrs. Olson called up to report that the temperature was 86 in Fort Lauderdale. Mr. and Mrs. Earl E. Wood celebrated their 45th wedding anniversary on Thursday, Nov. 28.

NOTICE — The office at Grayling Township Hall will be open for the collection of taxes from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. every Tuesday and Friday during December. Ruby Reetz, deputy Grayling Township Treasurer. Phone 348-4361 or 348-9407.

Enjoy the fish fry every Friday evening at the Penguin Inn, serving from 5:30 to 8:30.

Ralph Helsel, while bowling Sunday night, shot 30 strikes out of a possible 36, for games of 285, 254 and 275 for a grand total of 794.

### 4-H BUSY BAKERS

Dec. 2 the Busy Bakers made graham cracker crusts with chocolate pudding filling.

Reporter, Cindy Rettell

## BOWLING LEAGUES

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Nov. 26, 1968

1 Jarmin Ins.	32
2 Clair's Standard	25
3 Grayling Power Equip.	24
4 Legion Lanes	23
5 Millikin Const.	22
6 Am. Legion	19½
7 Zephyr	19
8 Baringer's	18
9 Clark Super 100	18
10 Post Oil Co.	18
11 Jim's Canoe	18
12 Al & Jessie's	17
13 Uncle Al	16
14 Side Pocket	15½
Ind. high series: L. Allison 619, D. Doremire 598, P. Juntilla 589.	
Ind. high game: R. LaMotte Sr. 246, P. Juntilla 223, J. Koika 222.	

### PIONEER LEAGUE

Dec. 2, 1968

1 Avalanche	33½
2 Sorensons	31
3 Al's Gals	30½
4 Cornells	29
5 Vita Boy	29
6 Dawsons	19
7 Packard Electric	18
8 Fred Bear Museum	18
High series — last week — D. Anthony 532, B. Wells 513, T. Goss 511. This week — D. Anthony 601, J. Arwood 588, S. Linendoll 541.	
High game — this week — T. Goss 193, B. Wells 192, B. Worden and M. Hanson 188. This week — D. Anthony 223, J. Arwood 222 and 210, S. Linendoll 204.	

### RECREATION LEAGUE

Nov. 27, 1968

1 Culligan Soft Water	39
2 Grayling Furniture	30
3 Bill's Laundry	28
4 Maple Forest Collision	28
5 Lovells Bar	27½
6 McEvers Motor Sales	26
7 Rochette's	24
8 R and H Sport Shop	24
9 Dingman's Tavern	24
10 Pioneer Room	22
11 South End Leonard	21
12 Glen's Market	21
13 Ken Chappell	20
14 Recreationalists	19½
15 Grayling State Bank	19
16 Olson's	11
Ind. high series: J. Hoffman 517, J. Arwood 510, P. Scheer, I. Robinson 509.	
Ind. high game: I. Robinson 214, G. Neilson 200, K. Isenbauer 195.	

### NORTHWOOD LEAGUE

Nov. 29, 1968

1 Bear Archery	32
2 Saveway Laundry	30
3 Black and White	29
4 McEvers Motors	28
5 Penguin	25
6 Hart Fort	20
7 Grayling Bay	20
8 Ben Franklin	10
High series: L. Bendig 597, J. Laeder 566, G. O'Connor 528, B. Ganger 508.	
High game: M. Adams 205, L. Bendig 215 and 201, J. Laeder 101.	

## Wild Turkey for Thanksgiving?

By Willard Bosserman, Co. Ext. Natural Resource Agent

Most of us had to be satisfied with a domestic turkey for Thanksgiving. As far as taste and tenderness goes it's probably a good thing because the wild turkey is tougher and has less meat than our domestic type. Nels Johnson, Regional Game Biologist, tells me that they eat a wide variety of foods. When they are eating pine buds and jack pine bark, they may not be as appetizing as the domestic bird. Johnson said that on one occasion turkeys were known to chip parts of jack pine bark of the tree and eat the tender cambium layer underneath.

Turkey hunters have learned that the real reward of their sport of hunting wild turkey is

### MOOSE NEWS

Saturday evening the Grayling Degree Team enrolled four new members into the Lodge. We welcome Floyd Kyser, Bob Brown, Vern "Duke" Jenks, and Bob Howe into our defending circle. Afterward, everyone enjoyed dancing in the club room, with live music furnished by "The Drifters."

This Friday evening is meeting night at the Lodge, at 8:00 p.m. Sunday, the Legion Club will meet at 11:00 a.m. in the Lodge basement for their monthly breakfast meeting. This will be another father and son breakfast.

A Christmas party for all youngsters is planned for Dec. 21. Wayne Reeves, entertainment chairman, is busy planning activities for this winter. We understand he is planning some activities for through the week, and also some special entertainment for a few Saturday nights.

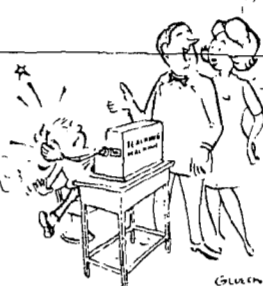
not for meat for the table, but healthful outdoor recreation and a prize only for the most expert. It is an opportunity to pit skills against a clever and worthy adversary such as the wild turkey. The wild turkey is the largest and most prized upland game bird on the North American continent. A hunter who shoots a truly wild turkey can rightfully be proud. To bag a turkey consistently year after year, a hunter needs a thorough knowledge of turkey habits and the turkey range, plus considerable luck.

Releases of turkeys were made in northern Michigan in 1955 and 1957, after successfully being established in the Allegan state game area.

The game biologists estimate there are between 3,000 and 4,000 turkeys in the state this fall, most of them in the Baldwin and Mio areas. There was a short open season on turkeys this fall from November 1, through November 10 in the Mio and Baldwin areas.

For the "lucky" few there was wild turkey on the Thanksgiving table this year.

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**Polyhedron**

A new Polyhedron Mountain officially opens to the public on Friday evening with a program from 5 to 10 p.m. The program is a series of six multi-media presentations which is open to all. The presentations are: "The World's Fair pavilion," "The World's Fair pavilion," "The World's Fair pavilion," "The World's Fair pavilion," "The World's Fair pavilion," "The World's Fair pavilion."

connection with a program at Bear Mountain, under the direction of the Moose Lodge, a reconstruction of the building was started two

completed, the main lobby, a dining room, a kitchen, and a bathroom. The latest in kitchen equipment, a circular stairway to the main floor to the third floor balcony, and entrances to the rooms. The rooms, which conform to the shape of the building, are finished in a modern style with blends in with the structure. The new lodge at Bear Mountain is located 1½ miles from the town of Grayling, and will provide a convenient place for groups and will be a public place around the year around. The lodge joins Bear Mountain ski park facilities, and riding trails, and is located at Bear Mountain.

**Moose Lodge Sponsoring Christmas Party**

Saturday, Dec. 6, the Moose Lodge will sponsor a Christmas party for children, 12 years and under. Plans call for the party to be held at the Moose Lodge from 5:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. for free. The party will feature a variety of games, movies, and refreshments. The party is open to all children, and is a great opportunity for children to have a fun evening. The party is sponsored by the Moose Lodge, and is a great way to raise money for the lodge. The party is held at the Moose Lodge, and is a great way to raise money for the lodge. The party is held at the Moose Lodge, and is a great way to raise money for the lodge.

**The Glorious Sound**

Christmas by Eugene is available at the County Library for pleasure. A collection of records of Christmas songs can be heard at this holiday season. Borrow 10¢ a week.

**Man's Club Officers**

A regular monthly election of officers will be held at the club. The election will be held on the 15th of the month. The officers will be elected for a one year term. The officers will be: President, Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Members at Large.

selected to fill two positions on the board of directors. The board of directors will be: Don Hunter, Gid. Ken Jackson, Bill Miller, Chuck Capling, and Don Denton. The board of directors will be elected for a one year term. The board of directors will be: Don Hunter, Gid. Ken Jackson, Bill Miller, Chuck Capling, and Don Denton.

next regular meeting will be on Jan. 8, because of the day falling on a Wednesday. The meeting will be held at the Moose Lodge. The meeting will be held at the Moose Lodge. The meeting will be held at the Moose Lodge.

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